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TO: HOLDERS OF THE SOCIAL SERVICE STANDARDS MANUAL, DIVISION 30

Regulation Package #0600-15**Effective 10/19/01****Section 30-800**

These regulations implement and make specific Senate Bill 2199 (Chapter 946, Statutes of 1998) which requires the establishment of fully functional adult protective services in each county. Counties are required to provide 24-hour hotlines, emergency shelters, case management services, investigate financial abuse, maintain food sources, and provide transportation to and from emergency shelters.

Current regulations in the California Department of Social Services' Manual of Policies and Procedures, Chapter 30-800, Program No. 8, Protective Services for Adults, set forth the provisions for reporting physical or other abuse, of an elder or dependent adult. The proposed regulations will repeal the existing regulations in Chapter 30-800 and adopt a new Division 33. The new Division 33 will establish the processes, procedures, and standards for the Adult Protective Services Program and will ensure that a basic level of protection is provided for the victims of elder abuse in all counties.

These regulations were adopted on October 19, 2001 and were considered at the Department's public hearing held on December 20, 2000.

FILING INSTRUCTIONS

Revisions to all manuals will now be shown in graphic screen. The attached pages are to be entered in your copy of the Manual of Policies and Procedures. The latest prior manual letter containing Social Service Standards manual changes was SS-00-02.

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